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NEW JERSEY COLLEGE OF
MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY
MARTLAND HOSPITAL UNIT

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65 BERGEN STREET
NEWARK, N.J. 07107

Dear Friend:

We need your advice and assistance on a matter that concerns all of us whose family, friends or neighbors may use the service of Martland Hospital. Please mark your calendar for 2:30 p.m., Sunday afternoon, April 19, 1970, and plan to attend our Volunteer Awards ceremonies at our Nurses' Residence, 115 Fairmount Avenue, Newark, New Jersey.

Over the past year, our 277 volunteers, men, women and teenagers have contributed a total of 12000 hours of immeasurable service to Martland Hospital. They have given our 650 patients generously of their valuable time, their varied talents, their deep concern, their healthy attitudes, and their personal contact with many phases of daily life that are so important to ill people away from their home environment. As a result, both the patients and the volunteers have benefited tremendously in ways that are difficult, if not impossible, to describe, but which are clearly evident in the patients' morale, outlook and recovery.

As you know from your own experience, every professional staff engaged in community service needs the support of a dedicated volunteer group. We hope to be able to expand our volunteer program in the coming year, for the benefit of the patients, the staff, and the volunteers themselves.

How can you help?

First, by attending our Volunteers Award ceremonies to see for yourself the scope of the work performed by our volunteers, and the many opportunities for even greater service. If you are unable to attend, we urge you to send someone from your organization.

Second, by taking word of our program and our need for more volunteers back to your organization. You undoubtedly have members who would be very much interested to learn of our important community service and to become a part of it.

We are enclosing a reply postcard for your use in letting us know if you will be with us on April 19. Please feel free to telephone our Volunteer Office at 643-8800, ext. 266 if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Frank W. Scott
Administrator

N. J. REFERENCE DIVISION - 10

A CHANCE TO GET OUT OF YOURSELF

Can you spare a few hours a week to cheer lonely patients at Martland Hospital? Become a Volunteer at Martland and know the rewards of person-to-person service.

Martland's patients need more people who care about them – people who want to give of themselves.

The average patient at Martland has few of the human niceties that speed recovery. Doctors, nurses and staff do their best to keep up patient morale, but demands on their time are great.

As a Volunteer you can

- read and talk to patients
- distribute mail
- escort patients on admission and at time of discharge
- spread information on the Blood Donor Program

Occupational therapy and recreational activities need people who care to brighten the scene.

Volunteers serve in many ways –

- supervising the playroom at the pre-natal clinic
- feeding patients
- cuddling children
- writing letters

Clerical and messenger services are areas vital to the patient's recovery. The Volunteer delivering blood plasma, X-ray or clinic reports walks just a little taller.

Find out how you can fit the picture by calling 643-8800, Ext. 266. 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.

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Director of Volunteers
643-8800 Ext. 266

MISSING SOMETHING?

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VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

I will attend the Awards Ceremonies on, Sunday, April 19, _____

I cannot attend the Awards Ceremonies, but I will send a representative _____

I cannot attend the Awards Ceremonies, but I am interested in the Volunteer Program at the hospital, and would like more information _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

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ATTN. VOLUNTEER OFFICE